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FORT WAYNE, INDIANA

PREFACE

The Growth of This College

From two small rented rooms in an office building to a beautiful large building built exclusively for the purpose and entirely owned by this institution is the record of the phenomenal history of The Ross College of Chiropractic combined with The Michigan College of Chiropractic. In a little over fourteen years, this college grew from practically nothing into the present mammoth Chiropractic institution of learning that is famous wherever Chiropractic is known.

This wonderful development is not the result of accident. It is the reward for industrious, continuous, conscientious and persistent efforts and progressive ideas. At no time in all these years was there ever any compromise with any unfair methods or motives that would tend to cast a reflection upon either this institution or the science of Chiropractic. Our policy has been to always give the best we could produce based upon the most irreproachable business methods. We have always striven to be true to both the science and profession of Chiropractic.

This college was never run primarily for profit; rather was it conducted with the ambition to build up a monument to Chiropractic in the way of a great Chiropractic institution for the education of men and women who aspire to become the highest credit to the Chiropractic profession. Therefore, all

of our profits have been and are now being put back into the college funds for its future growth. Already there is every evidence of such increased enrollments in the near future that we are planning to build new additional buildings to meet the needs for constantly increased facilities.

For a considerable part of our success, we are indebted to the many practitioners of Chiropractic throughout the whole country who have so nobly co-operated by sending their prospective students to this college. We wish to here thank them for their friendly sentiments and to assure them that in the future we are going to more and more merit their support.

We wish to remind prospective students of Chiropractic that by receiving their training in this college, they will not only enter their new profession as master of their new work, but that they will also have hanging upon their walls a diploma to which they can honestly point with pride.

The announcements in this catalog are made as nearly accurate as possible, but the right is reserved to make minor changes as circumstances may require. Although all important facts that a prospective student of Chiropractic should know are herein contained, nevertheless, this catalog is necessarily incomplete. Therefore, if there is any other information that any one interested may wish to know, we shall be only too glad to forward it on request.



N. C. ROSS, D.C.M.C.—President and Dean

Professor of pathology, physiology and lecturer on the philosophy, principles, practice and jurisprudence of Chiropractic

THE name of Prof. N. C. Ross is pre-eminent in Chiropractic educational work. This statement of fact is undeniable and is not anywhere disputed. As a lecturer, teacher and writer on matters pertaining to the science and philosophy of Chiropractic Prof. N. C. Ross enjoys an enviable reputation. His labors are upon a prodigious scale. His untiring efforts have accomplished epoch-making results, so much so that no history of Chiropractic could possibly be complete without the record therein of the research work and the establishing of an intellectual Chiropractic course by this developer of Chiropractic. Then, mention should be made here of his successfully bringing Chiropractic into a great many communities where the name itself even had been previously unknown. Besides, the large number of Chiropractors who were his former students are recognized by the Chiropractic profession by their efficiency and for having performed more than their share in making Chiropractic a household word. Finally, he is the founder of the Ross College of Chiropractic, a sufficient proof and illustration of what unbounded energy and ability can accomplish.



M. B. THOMPSON, D.C.M.C.—Vice-President
Professor of the art and science of palpation and adjusting and
director of clinic

PROF. M. B. THOMPSON is famous as a Chiropractic clinical director. His knowledge and skill in both the art of palpation and the technique of adjusting are not surpassed anywhere, while his ability as a teacher of these subjects is unequaled. Here is something of supreme importance. Chiropractic cannot be successfully practiced without a competent training in its mechanical or technical requirements. Therefore, the Ross College of Chiropractic with its clinical department under the direct personal supervision of Prof. M. B. Thompson gives its students the very best Chiropractic training possible.

Prof. M. B. Thompson won his well-deserved reputation and standing in Chiropractic educational work by his ably filling the position of president of the famous Michigan College of Chiropractic, the institution he personally organized originally. The decided success of the Michigan College graduates is conclusive evidence of the quality of their *Alma Mater*. One of the many great results that has followed the combining of the Ross and Michigan colleges is the active co-operation at one and the same institution between N. C. Ross and M. B. Thompson. This affiliation is writing a new chapter in the greater history of Chiropractic.



M. J. LUCIO
Assistant Office Manager and Secretary to
Dean



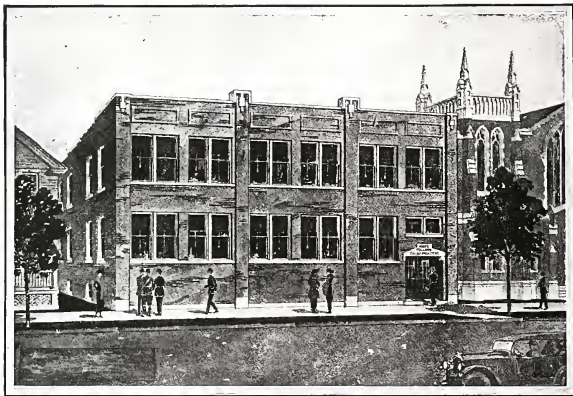
PROF. ARTHUR MAGILL
Chief X-Ray Department—Spinographic Instructor



CHAS. S. HANNA
Office Manager and Editor R. C. C. Journal

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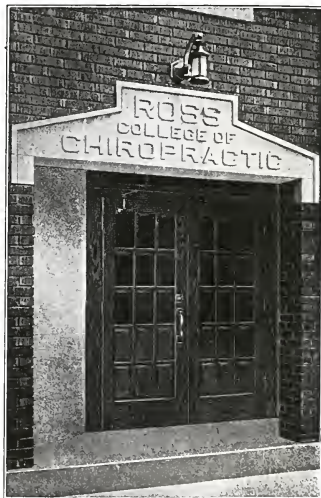
Our Own Home—Located in Downtown Section

THIS large, beautiful and substantial college building on opposite page is the newly constructed addition to our institution. It was designed and planned for this special purpose. Therefore, it provides ideal facilities and quarters for the best course in Chiropractic. This new addition contains the lecture and clinic rooms. The old building contains the business offices and reception room.

Please bear in mind that our college and its grounds are NOT rented or leased property. THEY ARE ENTIRELY OUR OWN. All of which means that our institution is complete in its appointments, permanent because of its solid financial backing and in every other way an inspiration to both a student body and the Chiropractic profession.

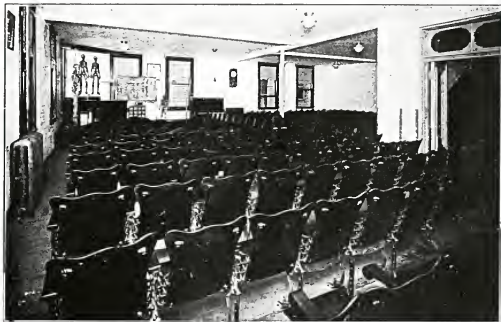
Our building program when finally completed will give us a ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLAR COLLEGE OF CHIROPRACTIC.

MAIN ENTRANCE
The Doorway to Success





Clinic Entrance, Stairway Leading to Demonstration Rooms



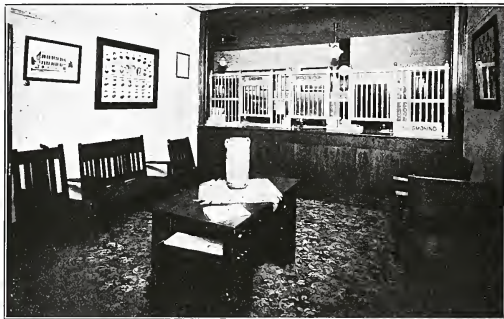
Main Lecture Hall



Private Office of Prof. N. C. Ross, D.C.M.C., and Prof. M. B. Thompson, D.C.M.C.



General Business Offices



Waiting Room



Pictured above is the X-Ray Department of Ross College, where our Spinegraph Course is taught. This course is becoming more and more popular in Chiropractic circles, and Ross College intends to keep to the fore in every branch deemed necessary by the faculty. In accordance with this determination to give our students every facility they need to acquire the most thorough education in Chiropractic in the fullest sense of the word, we now point with pride to our X-Ray Department. Everything necessary to enable the students to learn each detail connected with Spinegraph work is here for their inspection and examination. The course is most complete, every detail of the work being explained in lucid terms easy to understand.



Ladies' Clinic Adjusting Room



Men's Clinic Adjusting Room



One of the Clinic Dressing Rooms

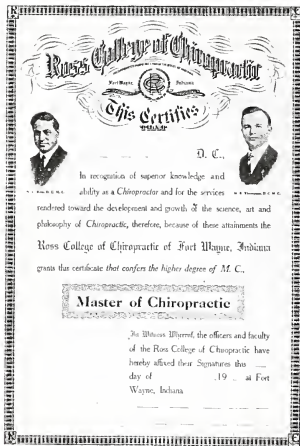


has completed the prescribed course of study as taught in this College and having demonstrated in open clinic a mastery over Chiropractic adjusting and spinal analysis is hereby declared a **DOCTOR OF CHIROPRACTIC** therefore because of these attainments, the Ross College of Chiropractic grants this:



Which entitles the holder thereof to all the honors and privileges of a Chiropractor.

In Witness Whereof, the officers and faculty of the Ross College of Chiropractic have hereunto set their signatures this _____ day of _____ at Fort Wayne, Indiana.



M.C. (Master of Chiropractic) Degree

THIS college issues a certificate conferring the degree of M.C. (Master of Chiropractic). This degree is given to those Chiropractors only who are pre-eminent in their work, who reveal a high order of superiority in their ability and who have rendered great services towards the efforts of developing and spreading the Art, Science and Philosophy of Chiropractic. Thus it will be seen that this high honor is not meted out promiscuously, but has to be earned through laboriously achieved merit. The purpose of this degree is to stimulate the members of the Chiropractic profession to greater efforts for the cause of the great science of Chiropractic. Hence, this degree is very much coveted and those already in possession of it are indeed very proud of the distinction. This degree is purely honorary and not issued because of attendance in class room. We reserve the right to cancel this degree if in our opinion the recipient proves unworthy.

Chiropractors personally soliciting this degree will not be considered. Rather should Chiropractors show their achievement in behalf of their science and profession. The officers of this college will then decide upon the fitness of the candidate.

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Length of Course (Subject to change)

Night Course

The minimum length of this course covers a period of three years of six months each given continuously (eighteen months). There is no vacation excepting during legal holidays. In other words, a student graduates eighteen months after date of enrollment. Hours daily (except Saturday and Sunday), 6:30 p. m. to 10:15 p. m.

Day Course

This course covers a period of three years of six months each given continuously (eighteen months). Those who desire it may receive their diplomas at the end of twelve months, with the privilege to return any time within two years to complete the other six months. This rule holds good with the day course only. Hours daily (except Saturdays and Sundays), 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.

Simplicity of Course

What distinguishes our course above those taught by other schools is the extreme simplicity in which our course is arranged and systematized. By means of typewritten lesson sheets all important facts are boiled down to a question and answer form. This very greatly assists the student in understanding more clearly the lessons in the textbooks, and make our course easily acquired. This will appeal to those whose educational advantages have been limited.

"Can I learn Chiropractic?" If you are ambitious; if you are not afraid to work; if a little sacrifice does not easily dis-

courage; if your attendance is regular; our answer to the above question is unhesitatingly, Yes. It is up to you.

Course of Study

Anatomy

This is one of the major subjects of study in this college. A comprehensive series of lectures are given covering the following branches of anatomy:

- Osteology (Bones)
- Myology (Muscles)
- Arthrology and syndesmology (Joints and ligaments)
- Neurology (Nerves)
- Splanchnology (Internal organs)
- Angiology (Vessels)
- Adenology (Glands)
- Dermatology (Skin)
- Connective tissues

Physiology

This is one of the major courses in the art and science of Chiropractic. This continues through three terms of study. Brubaker's textbook of Physiology is used. In the lessons and recitations every lesson is simplified by giving attention to the essentials only.

Each subject in the book is taken up separately so as to give the student the advantage of reading his lessons during his study period; also confining the course closely to the textbook, the student more readily grasps the subject.

Symptomatology

A course in symptomatology is given to familiarize the student with the symptoms of disease.

Neurology (Nervous System)

The nervous system is one of the major subjects in our course of Chiropractic. Students will be drilled thoroughly in the anatomy and physiology of the brain, spinal cord, cranial and spinal nerves and sympathetic nervous system.

At the end of this course, students are expected to know the ramification of the complete nerve system of the body.

The anatomy of the nervous system is demonstrated in a simplified way from charts, textbooks and lectures. In the physiology of the nervous system, the Chiropractic viewpoint is emphasized. It is pointed out how normal nerve activity is possible and abnormal activity produced. The student is taught how health (or ease) follows normal nerve function, and ill health (or disease) follows abnormal nerve function. The practical part of this course is given in the open clinic.

Embryology and Histology

These subjects are given as a combined course, as the individual organs are studied. In this way a great deal of time is saved for the student and also simplifies his studies.

Pathology

This subject is explained insofar as deemed necessary for the Chiropractor. As the Chiropractor does not need a clinical diagnosis to adjust the cause of disease, an extensive knowledge of microscopic pathology is not necessary.

Chemistry, Bacteriology (Study of Bacteria and Germs) and Toxicology (Study of Poisons)

This course is eight months long and is taught mainly by lectures and demonstrations. The purpose of teaching chemistry here is to make the study of physiology more complete. Many functions of the body are mainly chemical in their activities. Therefore a fundamental knowledge of chemistry is essential and valuable.

Theory and Philosophy of Chiropractic

We have a thorough lecture system on the theory and philosophy of Chiropractic. Chiropractic philosophy is distinct and unique and is an extremely important feature of our institution. Each subject of anatomy and physiology is explained according to its Chiropractic significance. Any other method of teaching anatomy and physiology in a Chiropractic college is wrong.

Palpation and Adjusting

We teach palpation and adjusting in the most comprehensive and practical manner possible. Our tremendously large clinic furnishes the means of accomplishing this purpose. Our students are brought in contact daily with hundreds of sick, which affords perfect opportunities of giving thorough instruction in the technique and mechanics of palpation and adjusting. Individual instruction is an important feature. Our clinical facilities are described elsewhere in this catalogue.

All ways of adjusting that have virtue are taught. We do not believe that one way of adjusting will serve in all instances. Years of experience and our coming in contact with thousands of sick, have conclusively demonstrated to us the truth of the above assertion. A series of lectures is given describing the theory and philosophy underlying each method of adjusting. The Ross cervical adjustment, sometimes called the "Rotary," has revolutionized the adjusting of the cervical region. This method was discovered by N. C. Ross, and, therefore, bears his name. Previous to this discovery, the methods of cervical

adjusting were very crude and frequently inefficient. This method is taught correctly at this institution only.

The straightarm, or weight adjust thrust, taught in this college only, is the most effective method in Chiropractic technique. In the matter of superiority as to facilities and methods of teaching palpation and adjusting, this college has no equal.

X-Ray (Spinograph) Course

The use of the X-Ray machine in the practice of Chiropractic is so well known and so well established that every Chiropractor should become familiar with this branch of work. This college gives a most thorough and practical training in X-Ray radiography. It is an optional course. The charge complete with certificate is \$50.00.

The X-Ray is not taught as a method of cure. The purpose is to picture the condition of the vertebral column.

Is Our Course Too Short?

There are those who judge the length of a Chiropractic course by comparing it with the length of time required in medical colleges. That comparisons of such kind are both absurd and unjust can be easily demonstrated. Chiropractic has made so much that is taught in a medical school unnecessary that Chiropractic students are exempted from studying that which is not only unnecessary, but what they believe has no virtue. Chiropractic has made unnecessary drugs and surgery. Therefore, if you eliminate these subjects you will have taken away about three-fourths of a medical course.

Our students, proportionately, receive a longer and more

complete course than medical students get in their medical schools.

Clinical Facilities

Our clinics represent an extremely important feature of our institution. Without adequate clinical facilities, a Chiropractic school would be an absolute failure. Hundreds of sick, daily, come to our college for free Chiropractic adjustments. They come from all over the country. Our students are brought in contact with these sick and are given individual instruction in the most practical manner. Our course, therefore, is the most practicable possible, which means that our graduates do not have to practice on their patients. They receive a wealth of practical knowledge before they leave college.

There is an old saying, "The proof of the pudding is in the eating thereof." Our clinics demonstrate, even to the most skeptical, the virtues of Chiropractic. What greater proof of the pudding can there be! That is why our students, during the clinical period of their work, are so much more enthusiastic than they were at the beginning of their course. It is this clinic that gives our graduates self-confidence and teaches them the proper respect for their profession. This experience is invaluable.

Our clinic, therefore, accomplishes four great purposes. First, it makes our course of instruction a very practical one. Second, it demonstrates the virtues of Chiropractic. Third, it restores many sick and afflicted to health and free of charge. Fourth, it teaches our graduates to sincerely honor and respect their profession.

Our Teachers

No school can expect to prosper without wide-awake and competent instructors. We believe that a school is what its teachers make it. Brains and not school furniture; teachers and not buildings make the school.

The faculty of this institution is composed of the ablest teachers, especially prepared by experience and education for the different lines of work in their charge. Only teachers capable of maintaining the highest reputation of this institution can ever hope to be employed.

Our Equipments

It stands to reason that an institution like ours, with superior instructors, with a course of study as described in this catalogue, with our large and beautiful college building, with our sincere and determined efforts to have this institution at the head of all other colleges of its kind, it is not probable that we would be behind in the matter of equipments. Our equipments are up to the standard of any other feature of our college. No expense has been spared to accomplish this purpose, which means an investment of many thousands of dollars.

We have completely equipped school rooms and lecture hall with the regulation university seats. A thoroughly first class X-Ray department. We have magnificent reception rooms; ladies' and gentlemen's clinical demonstration rooms, which are separate from each other; ladies' dressing rooms; men's dressing rooms; students' lounging rooms; the best anatomical charts; human skeletons, and appropriate reference libraries for the use of students.

Reasons Why You Should Enroll at the Ross College of Chiropractic

1. Because it is Chiropractic's intellectual head.
2. Because it is recognized as standard by the Chiropractic profession.
3. Because its diploma confers prestige and is satisfactory evidence of ability and efficiency.
4. Because it is chartered by the State of Indiana, placing it upon a legal foundation.
5. Because of its desirable location.
6. Because of its thorough equipments and facilities.
7. Because it is respected and looked up to by all the different business and professional interests of the community.
8. Because it has teachers of high intellectual attainments and whose qualifications for their work have never been in question.
9. Because its teachers are in close association with the students, thus making possible a bond of sympathy and co-operation that produces mutual respect and individual instruction.
10. Because it is progressive and fearless, never entering into any compromise with selfish interests or with anything that is wrong in principle.
11. Because it teaches nothing else but pure Chiropractic and of the most advanced kind.
12. Because its policy is to develop Chiropractic by intelligent and rational methods only.

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13. Because its course of study includes every subject necessary to produce expert Chiropractors.

14. Because its methods of instruction are unique, interesting and simplified to such an extent that the lessons are easily and comprehensively learned.

15. Because its graduates are the most successful of all Chiropractic practitioners.

16. Because its graduates are leaders in the various movements and efforts of Chiropractic organizations.

17. Because it very materially assists its graduates in selecting desirable locations.

18. Because it inculcates and develops good moral and professional principles in its students.

19. Because its student body is made up of men and women who are good to know and associate with.

20. Because its atmosphere inspires optimism, cheerfulness, broadmindedness, enthusiasm and good will, all of which are necessary qualifications for success in life. Especially in Chiropractic.

21. Because it trains its students to love and respect their new life work. A very essential training, indeed.

22. Because it offers practically unlimited clinical material. A very vital feature.

23. Because it gives its students more individual clinical training and experience than can be received at any other similar institution. A very great reason.

24. Because it teaches all successful methods of vertebral

adjusting. Experience has demonstrated that one way of adjusting will not prove good in all cases.

25. Because its clinical department of work is under the personal supervision of the world's foremost authority on chiropractic adjusting and palpation and who has no equal as a clinic director.

26. Because its interest in the welfare of students does not cease at time of graduation. Graduates are counseled and assisted after they are out in practice.

27. Because it has an evening course, enabling you to devote your day time to other employment and thus earn all of your expenses. Therefore, this college places a Chiropractic course within the reach of those who are ambitious with meager financial means with which to realize it. You are given a glorious opportunity to work your way through college.

28. Because it has an easy payment plan of tuition. An additional opportunity for those whose means are limited.

29. Because it is located in a great industrial center, offering a great variety of employment. A splendid situation for those who need to work their way through.

30. Because of its safe and solid financial backing, thus insuring its permanency.

Visitors

We are especially desirous of having visitors. We are glad to explain our methods of instruction and show our equipments. Visitors are particularly impressed with our interest-compelling and tremendously large clinics. Visitors are sure

to be good advertisers of our work. Students are requested to bring their parents and friends to visit us and we will take pleasure in explaining our work.

To Parents

Parents who intend sending their sons and daughters to this institution are assured that they will be under the most careful discipline. We fully realize the anxiety felt by parents who send their children away among strangers, and we make it our duty to exercise the greatest care over them. Arrangements have been made by which all those coming from a distance, and not having friends in the city, are provided with pleasant homes in private families.

Our students are our best advertisers. We desire the public to observe the reflection of our influence and training in them. Parents wishing their sons and daughters to acquire an honorable and dignified profession in a college where they may be certain of the best training, both moral and educational, are especially requested to confer with us.

Our aim, therefore, is to develop character as well as intellect in our students. We are as much interested in a student after he has paid his tuition as before.

Advantages of Location—Fort Wayne

Fort Wayne—a clean, hustling, up-to-date American city of about 100,000 inhabitants, situated in the northeastern part of Indiana and ranking among the first of the state's most progressive cities—the second largest city of Indiana. It is also the seat of Allen County.

The history of Fort Wayne dates back to the battle of the

"Fallen Timbers," near Maumee, Ohio, in 1794, when Gen. Anthony Wayne reigned victorious over its hostile Indians. Shortly after the battle the stockade was erected at a point overlooking the junction of the St. Mary's and St. Joseph's Rivers, and became the site of Fort Wayne of today.

From time to time large railroads acquired Fort Wayne on their routes, until today there are eight steam roads and four interurban lines of importance that bring thousands to this city as well as transport the many products from our most numerous industries and manufactories, and the rich farming lands surrounding Fort Wayne. The following steam roads enter the city: Pennsylvania, Wabash, Nickel Plate, Lake Erie & Western, Grand Rapids & Indiana, Lake Shore & Michigan Southern, C. H. & D., and New York Central.

Fort Wayne is noted as a city of many churches, every denomination being represented. Over fifty churches of importance in the city. We have a Y. M. C. A., a Y. W. C. A., a beautiful public library building, many fine business blocks and buildings of every purpose go towards making the city more beautiful.

The many fireproof hotels and good theatres, as well as social and commercial clubs, fraternal orders and organizations of all kinds, give the visitor or shopper, as well as its citizens, a chance to enjoy our city. All that tends to make it morally and socially better is to be found here.

Set in a natural beauty spot, Fort Wayne cannot be surpassed. With miles of river frontage, many beautiful parks, boulevards, handsome residences, churches, edifices, and all

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civic improvements being made as rapidly as possible—it can rightly be called a "City Beautiful."

Ross College Graduates in Demand

We receive urgent letters from persons residing in localities where there are no Chiropractors, requesting that we induce graduates of our college to locate there. The success of our graduates is so pronounced and so widespread that there exists a great demand for graduates from the ROSS COLLEGE OF CHIROPRACTIC. Therefore, we are in a position very able to assist our students in their search for desirable locations. Believing that the success of our graduates is shedding glory upon the college that nurtured them, we strain every nerve and strive so to aid and advise that it will result in the greatest amount of success to them. Ultimately, the college benefits by matriculating students from the locality wherein that success is achieved. It is but natural that others, witnessing this success, will enter the college that laid the foundation for that success. The success of our graduates demonstrates the pre-eminent qualifications of our institution.

Evening Class

This college originated and has perfected the evening course in Chiropractic. Some of the most successful practitioners of Chiropractic are graduates of our evening courses. This course is excellent and thorough. Many graduates of our college would not now be Chiropractors were it not for our evening class system. Experience has proved that the most successful men and women of the day are those who have had to succeed in spite of seemingly unsurmountable difficulties. These are the kind of people who make up our

evening classes. We have an evening course because it is in demand. It opens up opportunities to those whose means are limited and to those who under other conditions would not be able to take up this course of study.

Work Your Way Through College

We have evening classes enabling you to devote your day time to other employment and earn all your expenses. This enables everyone who is ambitious to enter our college. Fort Wayne is a large manufacturing center, and the variety of daily employment for the student to choose from is practically unlimited. This daily employment being temporary, does not necessary need be very lucrative, and should not be of such a nature to handicap the student in his studies. This work should be looked upon as temporary.

It is this class of students that make up our student body. We are proud of our students. At the first glance, you will detect the look of ambition in their eyes; the lines of determination about their mouths, and the sincerity and hope in their souls. Their motto is: "What is worth having is worth working for." We sympathize and co-operate with our students and try to make their work both pleasant and less difficult. Become one of these students. It is a glorious destiny. The same opportunities are open to you.

We Locate Graduates

We make exhaustive investigations for finding suitable locations for our graduates. We keep a carefully compiled filing system which furnishes complete information as to the desirability of all localities for Chiropractors. We consult with

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our students and advise them to the best of our ability and resources as to where they should open up in practice. We give a certain number of lectures on the matter of locations; how to rent offices; how to manage an office; correct business principles, and how to educate the people of the community to Chiropractic. All of this is very valuable and is considered an important feature of our course.

As to Mail Courses

We have no mail course in Chiropractic. We believe that a practical course in Chiropractic learned through the mail is impossible. Any other kind of a course than a practical course is utterly valueless. No reputable school or college of Chiropractic will entertain a mail course system. There is as much sense in studying Chiropractic by mail as there would be in your taking a mail order course in swimming. It seems that when facts are so self-evident, there should not be any argument on this question.

Of course, the motive of the school that offers such a proposition is one of cupidity. But the intentions of those who become correspondence students are more honorable. Finding themselves financially and in other ways unable to attend a reputable college of Chiropractic, they reach out blindly, hoping that the advertising talk of the correspondence schools may prove to be true. It becomes purely a gambling venture and is but another instance of the drowning man and the straw. To these persons the ROSS COLLEGE OF CHIROPRACTIC holds out the opportunities that they really desire. To them our advice is: Come to Fort Wayne; enter our evening classes; secure light employment during the day and thus

remove all financial obstacles, and then have the satisfaction of knowing that you are building a substantial foundation for your future career. Do not tread the lazyman's road to success. At the end of that road failure will stare you in the fact. You cannot afford to begin your life's profession half beaten by incompetence and through faulty methods of preparation.

Matriculate at this institution and get a good start.

Students of Other Chiropractic Schools

Students of other Chiropractic schools wishing to complete their course at this college, and providing the schools they have attended or are attending are of a reputable standard, will be given credit to full amount of time in actual attendance at such other schools. The amount of tuition will be *pro ra'a*. In other words, the tuition would be in proportion to the amount of time required to complete the course at this college. Such students will have to present written proof given by their schools as to the length of their previous attendance. Students coming from schools that are considered by the officers of this college as not being of reputable standard will be given credit only in accordance with standard of such school. In this case, there is no reduction in tuition.

Entrance Requirements

Any man or woman who is desirous and ambitious to better his or her position in life; who possesses a good moral character; who has a mind to think and a will that fears no obstacles, and who has received a common school education, will be

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Schedule of Tuition Rates

Effective September 1st, 1924

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Ross College of
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(Either Day or Evening Course)

1. Single Tuition, \$450.00 in advance.
2. Two payments, \$250.00 in advance and \$250.00 six months later.
3. Monthly payments, \$100.00 in advance and eighteen monthly payments of \$25 each.

MAN AND WIFE TUITION

(Either Day or Evening Course)

Providing both enroll at the same time. This literally means husband and wife. No other relationship considered on these rates.

1. In advance, \$600.00.
2. Two payments, \$325.00 in advance, and \$325.00 in nine months.
3. Monthly payments \$160.00 in advance and eighteen monthly payments of \$30 each.

IMPORTANT WARNING!

On and after September 1st, 1924, the following minimum time of attendance will be required:

DAY OR EVENING ATTENDANCE

A minimum total of 2400 Class Hours, averaging 45 minutes to the hour. 3,000 or more of such hours will be given to those who select a longer course and at no additional cost of tuition.

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Special to M. D.'s, to D. O.'s and Trained Nurses

Physicians and Osteopaths who desire to enter this college will be given credit in time equal to a period of three months of our eighteen months' course. There is, however, no reduction made in the price of tuition. Trained and graduate nurses will be given credit in time equal to a period of six weeks of our eighteen months' course. No reduction in tuition.

Chemistry Fees

This course in chemistry is required on the part of the student. It is not an optional part of the course.

Our chemistry course is eight months long and the fees, payable in advance, are \$15.00.

Required Books

(Prices subject to change without notice)

Physiology—Brubaker	\$ 4.75
Anatomy (Quiz)—Potter	2.00
Dictionary—Gould	4.00
Lesson Sheets in Anatomy and Physiology	3.00
Symptomatology, Pathology—Hughes	4.25
Textbook of Chiropractic—Thompson (to enrolled students only)	2.50
Chemistry Experiment Sheets	1.50
Chemistry Text—McPherson & Henderson	1.85
Essays on Health via Chiropractic—Ross	.50
Total	\$24.35

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Books (Optional)

- Anatomy—Gray, Piersol, Morris.
- Dictionary—Lippencott, Dunglison, Dorland.
- Physiology Quiz—Brubaker.
- Gynecology Quiz—Wells.
- Obstetrics Quiz—Landis.
- Spinal Curvature—Lovett.

Examinations and Diplomas

Written examinations are held from time to time to test the progress of the student. These examinations are not our only criterions of excellence. Students are marked also according to their attendance. A student whose attendance has been very poor is not entitled to an examination. These periodical examinations are all considered a part of the final examination. The general average of students before they receive their degree must be seventy-five per cent or more.

Upon the satisfactory completion of a course of study at this college, and providing all rules and regulations have been lived up to, the student is presented with a diploma that confers the degree of "DOCTOR OF CHIROPRACTIC" (D.C.) with all the honors and privileges belonging thereto.

These diplomas are not for sale at any price. They can be secured through high attainments of scholarship only. Therefore, a diploma issued by the ROSS COLLEGE OF CHIROPRACTIC is a guaranty to the public that the person possessing such diploma has successfully earned same through merit.

Post-Graduate Course

We have a post-graduate course for Chiropractic practitioners. Time, six months; cost, \$150.00 in advance. This course is a splendid one, and is arranged so as to increase efficiency and skill to produce better Chiropractors. On completion of this course, a post-graduate certificate is issued which constitutes a real asset in the way of proving the possession of a superior training.

Rules and Regulations of This College

1. No tuition returnable as a whole or in part.
2. Every student must sit for a good cabinet photo for the purpose of a class picture.
3. Faculty may at any time, whenever they see fit, change or add any rules or regulations for the observance of students.
4. The faculty may, at a moment's notice, either expel or suspend any student who is found guilty of any deed or words that may be detrimental to the welfare of this college in the judgment of the faculty.
5. The faculty may expel any student who is found guilty of grossly immoral conduct.
6. Any student while attending this college, whenever found guilty of giving Chiropractic adjustments in exchange for a fee shall be expelled without redress.
7. No student shall be granted a diploma before all fees or debts of any kind are paid in full to this college by said student.

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Boarding Facilities

Board and room can be obtained in Fort Wayne as reasonably as elsewhere. In a city as large as Fort Wayne, desirable board and room can be secured at almost a moment's notice. We always have on file a list of desirable rooms and boarding places for the benefit of students. Students arriving from out of town should first call at the college and consult this list. This should be especially observed by ladies. We are always prepared to advise students in this matter.

Awards of Gold Medals

In order to stimulate students to greater efforts in acquiring a large clinical experience, this college awards gold medals as a reward for successful application and industry. The student,

who at graduation, receives this gold medal is indeed proud of the distinction. Furthermore, the evidence of this honor is a great asset to the possessor and proves to be a splendid means of immediately securing the respect and confidence of the community on beginning practice right after graduation from college.

We urge all prospective students to consider the value of these gold medal awards and plan to work for this qualification. This college believes in especially recognizing and rewarding all ambitious efforts whether or not it involves a student or practitioner. Our honor rewards to practitioners is the Master of Chiropractic degree which is discussed elsewhere in this catalog.

IN CONCLUSION

The terms, rules and regulations explained in this announcement are strictly enforced. There will be no deviation from the conditions herein stipulated. It is therefore useless for anyone to write for special privileges or favors. All students are treated exactly alike so as to insure absolute justice to everyone. These facts will be fully appreciated and approved by all fair minded individuals. No institution can hope to gain respect without fair and honest business methods and principles. We are pleased to receive any communications requesting more detailed information. But we do not want proposals that conflict with the provisions of this Catalog. The statements herein printed are accurate and truthful. No misrepresentations can be found. We mean every word in it. Full attendance is required. The only credits in time and

tuition are those plainly described. The cost of tuition and payment plans are not subject to variations as to individuals. Husband and wife rates refer to that relationship only and not to any other. College Degrees such as B.Sc., B.A., M.A., Ph.D., do not of themselves secure any credit in time. We do not give any credit or Post Graduate work in any way to either Graduates or Under Graduates of Mail Courses in Chiropractic. To such students, full time attendance and full tuitions are all we can conscientiously offer. No one will be allowed to graduate from the Ross College without having first lived up to all requirements and specifications. We are determined that the possession of a Ross College Diploma will and shall be sufficient to inspire confidence and respect in the public.

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